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## AMENDMENT TRANSMITTAL LETTER

Docket No.  
329228001US6Application No.  
10/657,809Filing Date  
September 8, 2003Examiner  
Not Yet AssignedArt Unit  
3742

Applicant(s): Kent Douglas Ellis and Charles C. Wyatt

Invention: HEATING PAD SYSTEMS, SUCH AS FOR PATIENT WARMING APPLICATIONS

## TO THE COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS

Transmitted herewith is an amendment in the above-identified application.

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CLAIMS AS AMENDED					
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**PATENT**

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

IN RE APPLICATION OF: KENT DOUGLAS ELLIS *ET AL.*

APPLICATION NO.: 10/657,809

FILED: SEPTEMBER 8, 2003

FOR: **HEATING PAD SYSTEMS, SUCH AS FOR  
PATIENT WARMING APPLICATIONS**

ART UNIT: 3742

CONF. NO: 1125

**Second Preliminary Amendment**

Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Dear Commissioner:

Prior to examination on the merits, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims beginning on page 2.

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